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OVERVIEW

Wendy is a Senior Associate in the Criminal Defence Department. She trained with the firm prior to her admission as a solicitor in Hong Kong in 2018 and has since built a strong reputation in criminal defence and commercial crime litigation. She was named a **Hong Kong Criminal Law Rising Star** by the **Doyle's Guide** from 2023 to 2025.

Her practice spans a wide range of criminal and regulatory matters, including investigations and prosecutions brought by the Independent Commission Against Corruption (ICAC), the Commercial Crime Bureau (CCB), the Securities & Futures Commission (SFC), the Hong Kong Police Force, Immigration Department, and Customs & Excise Department. Wendy acts for both corporate and individual clients, representing defendants and witnesses alike. She has also appeared as a solicitor advocate in the District Court and serves on legal aid panels.

AWARDS & RECOGNITION



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PRACTICE AREAS

CRIMINAL & COMMERCIAL CRIME

LANGUAGES

English

Cantonese

QUALIFICATIONS & EDUCATION

- Solicitor, Hong Kong (2018)
- Bachelor of Laws (LL.B.), University of Leicester, awarded International Open Scholarship
- Master of Laws (LL.M. in Criminal Justice), University of Nottingham
- Postgraduate Certificate in Laws (PCLL), University of Hong Kong

MEMBERSHIPS

The Law Society of Hong Kong

EXPERIENCE

CRIMINAL & COMMERCIAL CRIME

- <COMMERCIAL CRIME>
- Acted for a former high ranking government official suspected of accepting advantage in breach of the Prevention of Bribery Ordinance and misconduct in public office — DCCC761/2018
- Successfully defended a bank employee charged with bribery DCCC920/2019
- Secured acquitted a senior executive of a luxury fashion brand in an alleged bribery case DCCC310/2020
- Secured acquittal for an individual charged with conspiracy to launder money involving multiple defendants — DCCC485/2023
- Represented companies in reporting bribery and fraud to authorities, leading to successful prosecutions
 of wrongdoers; handled multiple applications for variation of restraining orders
- <GENERAL CRIME>
- Successfully defended a university staff member in a conspiracy to defraud case, where the DOJ case was stated and appealed all the way to the Court of Final Appeal — DCCC892/2019
- Acted for a defendant in a District Court gang assault and wounding trial DCCC1046/2022
- Secured acquittal of a defendant charged with money laundering after exclusion of a cautioned interview on admissibility grounds — DCCC671/2022
- Represented a defendant in a murder trial at the High Court HCCC296/2023

- Defended clients in serious sexual offence cases, including rape, indecent assault, unlawful sexual intercourse, and buggery; secured acquittals and costs awarded — HCCC64/2023
- Successfully defended a theft case WKCC3535/2023
- Secured acquittal of a civil servant charged with theft in a widely reported case WKCC2693/2024
- Represented defendants in Juvenile Court proceedings
- * The cases cited above are non-exhaustive and represent a limited selection of cases recently handled by Wendy.